IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ronkainen et al.

Title: SYSTEM, METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT, AND

BUSINESS METHOD FOR DEVICE GROUP MANAGEMENT

USING VIRTUAL DEVICE DOMAIN

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated August 20, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1-22.

[]	Applie	cant claims small entity status.
[X]	Notice	e of Appeal Fee
	[X]	To be paid as detailed below.
	[]	Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).

The filing fee is calculated below:

[X] Notice of Appeal Fee

\$540.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$130.00	\$130.00	X] Extension for response filed within the first month:	[X]	
\$0.00	[] Extension for response filed within the second month: \$490.00		[]	
\$0.00	\$1,110.00] Extension for response filed within the third month:	[]	
\$0.00	\$1,730.00] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[]	
\$0.00	\$2,350.00] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[]	
\$130.00	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:			
\$0.00	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:			
\$130.00	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			
\$670.00	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			
\$0.00	[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):			
\$0.00	[] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			
\$670.00	TOTAL FEE:			

The above-identified fees of \$670.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-5302. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-5302. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, Applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-5302.

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Respectfully submitted,

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